**Case Name**: G.Z. v. the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Latvia

**Citation:** Case file No A42561808

**Year**: 2010

**Court**: Supreme court – To Issue Beneficial Administrative Act Decision Appeal

**Issue**: According to the doctors council of the Medical Genetics Clinic decision of 11 October 2007, G.Z. diagnosis is type 1 Gaucher’s disease. This disease can be treated only with reimbursed medication, which is not in the list of State Reimbursed Medicines. However, it is in the European Medicines Agency list of registered medicines and the medication does not have an analogue. G.Z. claimed compensation of medication *Imiglucerase (Flac.Cerezyme 200V)* costs in full for 12 month treatment course (81 900 LVL).

**Holding/Outcome**: The Court held that in accordance with Administrative Procedure Law the decision of the Regional Court of Administrative cases stays unchanged. It held that in compliance with regulations No 418 issued by the Cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Latvia the compensation amount of reimbursement medicine for one patient is no more than 10 000 LVL for 12 month period and it is based on State budget resources.

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